

## **Le Méridien Hotels & Resorts debuts in Surat with new luxury hotel**

Marriott International expands Le Méridien footprint in Gujarat with a contemporary hotel inspired by Surat's diamond and textile heritage

Le Méridien Hotels & Resorts has announced the opening of Le Méridien Surat, marking the brand's debut in India's Diamond City and its second property in Gujarat. Located along the banks of the Tapi River, the hotel blends contemporary luxury with design elements inspired by Surat's rich diamond and textile heritage.

Spread across 1,25,000 sq. ft., the hotel features 185 guest rooms and suites along with curated dining experiences including Surat Kitchen, the all-day dining restaurant, and Le Scoop, featuring the brand's signature gelato programme. The property also offers over 100,000 sq. ft. of event and meeting space, including two large pillarless ballrooms and expansive outdoor lawns designed for conferences, weddings and social gatherings.

Commenting on the launch, Kiran Andicot said India continues to be a key growth market for the brand, while Surat's commercial strength, cultural richness and evolving hospitality landscape make it an ideal destination for expansion. Manoj Jangid added that the hotel has been thoughtfully designed to reflect the city's distinctive character through local craftsmanship, culinary experiences and immersive cultural connections.

In line with the brand's Unlock Art™ programme, guests at Le Méridien Surat will also receive complimentary access to Surat Fort, offering an opportunity to explore one of the city's iconic cultural landmarks.

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